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SUBJECT: STATUS OF IMCO CONVENTIONS

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1. PRESENT STATUS OF CONVENTIONS NOTED REPAIR ARE AS FOLLOWS: INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON TONNAGE MEASUREMENT OF SHIPS, 1969--CONVENTION TRANSMITTED TO SENATE IN 1972. HEARINGS HELD IN 1973, DURING THE COURSE OF WHICH, SEVERAL INTEREST GROUPS NOTED OPPOSITION. SINCE THAT TIME, THE COAST GUARD HAS BEEN ATTEMPTING TO ACCOMMODATE OPPOSITION AND HOPES TO BE IN A POSITION TO REPORT RESULTS TO SENATE THIS AUTUMN. EARLIEST POSSIBLE RATIFICATION WOULD BE 1976. NO BETTER ESTIMATE POSSIBLE AT THIS TIME.

2. CONVENTION ON THE INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS FOR PREVENTING COLLISIONS AT SEA, 1972--HEARINGS ON IMPLEMENTING UNCLASSIFIED

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LEGISLATION (HR 5446) WERE HELD ON JULY 31, 1975.

SIMILAR LEGISLATION HAS BEEN INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE
(S.1348) BUT IT IS NOT KNOWN WHETHER HEARINGS WILL BE HELD.
AT THIS JUNCTURE, IT IS HOPED THAT ACTION WILL BE COMPLETED
ON THE IMPLEMENTING LEGISLATION BEFORE THE CHRISTMAS 1975
RECESS AFTER WHICH RATIFICATION PROCEDURES, IF NOT ALREADY
STARTED, MAY COMMENCE.

3. DEPARTMENT WILL KEEP POST INFORMED OF DEVELOPMENTS
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